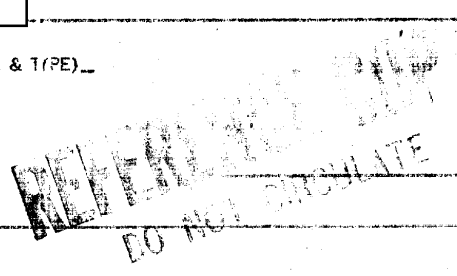


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1. During the period from 3 to 9 October 1952, the Olympisches Dorf, Doeberitz (N 53/2 65), 2 km west of Altes Lager, was occupied by Unit Kovalov and Unit Popov as was previously observed and, in addition, by a new unit. Other elements of the new unit continued to arrive during the period of observation and were quartered in the former billeting area of the unit Khlopov. As seven empty houses with a billeting capacity of about 60 men each are located in this billeting area, the present strength of the new unit is estimated at about 1,500 troops. Empty houses were being reconditioned which is indicative of a reoccupation. [redacted] the new unit had been previously stationed in Fuerstenberg. Prior to this it had been stationed in Oranienburg. [redacted] the unit was divided into three sub-units, one of which was commanded by Lieutenant Colonel Knochkov (fnu) who also commanded the advance party. His unit delivered laundry for 100 officers. Twenty-four 76.2-mm AT guns arrived in the Olympisches Dorf during the period of observation so that there was a total of 75 AT guns of the unit stationed there. [redacted]

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[redacted] About 15 to 20 sidecar motorcycles also arrived. From 60 to 70 uniformed women serving as messhall and kitchen personnel were seen with the new AT artillery unit. These women were trained with carbines and submachine guns. The troops were organized into small groups, and engaged in formation drill only. Several sheds for motor vehicles and weapons and earth bunkers for ammunition and fuel were built.

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